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A PARTIAL VIEW OF OUR GROWING FIELDS

## Syllmar Gardens

This catalog is for the pleasure of our flower loving customers, who look forward to the new creations by known hybridizers of both iris and hemerocallis. We make it a practice to add what we consider the most outstanding of the newer flowers each year, knowing that our customers appreciate this display of the later hybrids which are a step closer to a perfect flower. This year we are also offering one of our own creations, "Spring Romance" and will offer others of our own hybrids in succeeding years. Trusting that our friends will observe the quality of these flowers, hybridized in our gardens by Elma Miess.

Our gardens are nestled in the upper reaches of the beautiful San Fernando Valley of Southern California where we propagate an iris that we honestly believe cannot be surpassed anywhere. Our iris are positively not forced in any way, but attain their firmness, large size and abundance of new increases from a long growing season along with proper cultivation methods instead of over-fertilization and excessive moisture content.

Quality Iris only, is SYLLMAR GARDENS aim, whether the iris be an old standby variety or an expensive new hybrid, both are given the same care and attention. Syllmar Iris carry the highest California agriculture rating to be given any nursery, assuring our customers against disease and pests.

All rhizomes shipped to you are from one year old plants (**NOT** from old crowded clumps) planted in fields that are thoroughly prepared in advance by rotation from iris to cover crops, so as to condition our well drained soil for as perfect a finished iris as can be found anywhere. A large, firm rhizome, full of stored-up energy and so thoroughly conditioned that our customers in any section of the country are assured of vigorous plants with plenty of gorgeous blooms the spring following planting.

All iris are labeled in the field at the time of digging, then sent to the packing house. This method assures no mixing of varieties. They are then carefully packed in clean new excelsior, in ventilated cartons, then on their way to you.

### Please Read Carefully Before Ordering

#### TERMS

**CASH.** Please remit with postal or express money order or personal check. No stamps. Please do not send currency. No C.O.D. orders accepted. Postage is prepaid on all orders in U. S. A. that amount to \$2.50 or over. On smaller orders add 35c for packing and postage. For California residents add 2½% Sales Tax. We reserve the right to withdraw any flowers from sale or gift at any time.

## Cultural Directions for Bearded Iris

RHIZOMES will be shipped to you in a firm condition and should be planted as soon as possible after they are received. If you are unable to plant on receiving them, then be sure to keep the rhizomes in a dry and cool place until you can plant them.

Iris require good drainage and sun for at least one-half day, in order to obtain the best results, with abundance of bloom. The soil should be moist before planting and kept moderately moist until the plants are well established. Care should be taken to not over water. If your soil is heavy and poorly drained set the rhizomes a little higher than the surrounding

soil. The rhizomes should be planted so the soil just covers them and no more. Be sure and spread the roots well and firm the soil around them. This will anchor the rhizomes until the new roots form. Separate your plants every third year to get the best results.

The use of bone meal when planting and both bone meal and well rotted manure as a side dressing once each year will usually be sufficient fertilizing. Be careful that fertilizer of any kind does not contact the rhizomes.

### Our Guarantee:

All irises are from one year stock and the very best to be had—and free of all pests; labeled and true to name.

We do not substitute unless requested to do so.

Shipments will start about June 15th and orders will be filled in rotation.

If plants do not arrive in good condition, return them to us at once and we will replace same or refund money. If another variety of same value is acceptable please so state. In case of replacement transportation must be borne by purchaser.

SYLLMAR GARDENS ELMA MIESS

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Member Midwest Hemerocallis Society



These husky  
well nourished  
roots (rhizomes)  
as grown at

The  
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The iris pictured in  
color on the front  
cover is  
**PRAIRIE SUNSET**  
(described on  
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## Introducing

### SPRING ROMANCE (E. MIESS 1948)

(Melitza x Narain)

It is difficult to describe this "breath-taking" iris by a word description. Picture—a flower with crisp horizontal falls, unusually wide and ruffled, standards wide, domed and ruffled. A waxy cream-white with a frosty overlay and heavy infusion of aureolin gold at the haft, with the added charm of an extra heavy deep orange beard. This infusion of gold at the heart of the flower casts its golden glow throughout the entire bloom, giving it great carrying value in your garden. It also has quality and refinement on close inspection, plus a delightful fragrance. SPRING ROMANCE does not fade. The huge 7-inch blooms of extra heavy substance and long lasting qualities with nine or more buds, are poised gracefully on tall, well branched stalks, vigorous and floriferous.

SPRING ROMANCE, known as seedling 551A, won the Gold Cup at the 1948 Hollywood Iris Show.

Early mid-season, 42 inches.

**\$25.00**

## Iris of Distinction

### ACTION FRONT (Cook 1942)

**Ea. \$1.50**

One of the best reds, inclined to a copper-red with an intense yellow beard. A well formed flower with conical standards, and falls that are very wide at the haft, with no haft markings to detract. Vigorous, with beautiful green foliage. Midseason, 36 inches.

### ALASTOR (Spender 1940)

**Ea. 75c; 3 for \$2.00**

This unique and beautiful iris originated in England. The color is deep cyclamen pink with an underlay of gold and hazel brown at the haft. Mid-season. 36 in.

### ALADDIN'S WISH (Murawska 1945)

**Ea. \$5.00**

The huge blooms of this novel and beautiful iris are a lovely shade of blue with brushings of creamy white on the blue. An entirely new pattern that is both impressive and pleasing. Vigorous growth and a good increaser. Very popular. Midseason. 36 in.

### ALPINE GLOW (Kleinsorge 1945)

**Ea. \$3.00**

The name is most appropriate for this impressive flower. The large blooms of smooth lilac-rose with shadings of brown at the haft and a gold beard is enhanced with a lovely misty overcast. The effect is that of a self and in the sunlight the bright pink tones carry most effectively. Tall, well branched and vigorous. Late. 40 in.

### AMIGO (Williamson 1934)

**Ea. 75c; 3 for \$2.00**

A winsome pansy toned iris that everyone loves. Standards are clear light violet and the falls intense violet-purple edged with light violet. A little gem that should be in every garden. Mid-season. 30 in.

### ARAB CHIEF (Whiting 1944)

**Ea. \$3.00**

A glowing burnt orange or copper self, with a metallic overlay and a cadmium yellow beard. Domed standards and semi-flaring falls. Prolific and floriferous. Late. 36 in.

### ARCTIC (Kleinsorge 1940)

**Ea. 75c**

Large flowers of a glistening warm white, with a decided gold throat. Perfect form with ruffled closed standards and broad falls. Vigorous and a free bloomer. Mid-season. 40 in.

### AZTEC COPPER (Kleinsorge 1940)

**Ea. 75c; 3 for \$2.00**

A copperish colored flower with subtle tones of violet and bronze blended in lovely harmony. The huge flowers are leathery in substance with broad hafts. Mid-season. 38 in.

### AZURE SKIES (Pattison 1943)

**Ea. \$2.00; 3 for \$5.00**

The crisp ruffled flowers are light azure blue with domed standards and almost horizontal falls. The blooms are beautifully formed with wide hafts and a white beard. Fine substance surprisingly crisp. Branching is low and wide. A very noteworthy iris. Medium late. 34 in.

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**SPRING ROMANCE**

(One-half actual size)

### BALMUNG (Sass 1939)

**Ea. \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

One of the loveliest of the Sass yellow plicatas. The brown markings are neatly peppered on a definite yellow background. Large flowers with broad petals. Tall stems and well branched. Mid-season. 36 in.

### BATAAN (Kleinsorge 1942)

**Ea. \$2.00**

A coppery to henna color with a tint of plum cast throughout. A flower of good form and of unusual color value. Midseason. 36 in.

### BANDMASTER (Hall 1944)

**Ea. \$4.00**

Huge flowers of powder blue on tall nicely branched stalks. The color holds up unusually well. A vigorous grower with deep green foliage. Midseason. 38 in.

### BERKELEY GOLD (Salbach 1942)

**Ea. \$1.50; 3 for \$3.50**

A magnificent deep glowing yellow capturing all the good qualities; fine form, heavy substance and smooth texture. The tall stalks are nicely branched. Vigorous and free flowering, blooming over a long period of time. It leaves little to be desired and we are glad to recommend it as one of the most satisfactory deep yellows. Midseason. 36 in.

### BLACK AND GOLD (Kleinsorge 1943)

**Ea. \$2.50**

This is indeed a striking variegata with standards a rich chrome, near gold and falls of black maroon. Medium size blooms on tall, fairly well branched stalks. Midseason.

### BLACK FOREST (Schriener 1945)

**Ea. \$6.00**

A very blue-black iris of silky finish. This flower is a self with a beard of the same color. A medium size flower of excellent substance and flaring form. Midseason. 26 in.

### BLUE RHYTHM (Whiting 1945)

**Ea. \$7.50**

Large heavy substantanced flowers close to cornflower blue, softened with a silvery sheen. The standards are broad with semi-flaring falls void of haft markings. Its splendid branching and vigorous growth together with the many other splendid qualities place this flower as one of our very finest new blues. Midseason. 40 in.





**BRYCE CANYON**

**BLUE SHIMMER (J. Sass 1943) Ea. \$2.50; 3 for \$6.00**

Charming and original is this lovely plicata with its waxy white background heavily stippled with clear blue. The blooms are of splendid form and substance. Tall and beautifully branched. We consider this one of the most outstanding iris of the last few seasons. Mid-season. 39 in.

**BLUE VALLEY (Kenneth Smith 1947) Ea. \$18.00**

The large flowers are of splendid form closely approaching true blue. The flaring falls are wide at the haft and delightfully ruffled with the added beauty of a lovely metallic sheen. Excellent branching with the flowers well spaced. Vigorous and increases rapidly. Mid-season. 40 in.

**BRILLIANT AMBER (Salbach 1947) Ea. \$10.00**

Large blooms in brilliant shades of amber and golden brown with a cast of pink. The well closed standards are of deep amber with a slight pink cast. The semi-flaring falls are of bright golden brown with deeper gold veining. A deep yellow beard completes this harmonious combination. The heavy substantanced flowers are beautifully poised on tall well branched stalks. It is the opinion of many that this is Mr. Salbach's finest creation to date. Midseason. 40 in.

**BRONZED COPPER (Kleinsorge 1943) \$1.50; 3 for \$4.00**

A brilliant blend with standards of garnet-brown shading to golden-brown at the haft. Falls coppery-brown suffused with gold and a dash of peacock blue in center supplemented with a bright orange beard. A flower with great carrying qualities in the garden. A honey. Mid-season. 30 in.

**BRYCE CANYON (Kleinsorge 1944) Ea. \$6.00**

This flower is a pure self of distinct warm shades of henna-copper closely resembling the glowing colors of the rock formation in the colorful canyon for which it was named. Of good substance on well branched stems, highly domed standards and broad round falls. Mid-season. 36 in.

**CALDERILLA (DeForest 1944) Ea. \$2.00; 3 for \$5.00**

An unusual blend of terra cotta, brown and gold. The flowers are large and flaring with wide closed standards and are carried on a strong 38 in. stalk with four branches. Mid-season.

**CALIFORNIA PEACH (Salbach 1941) \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

Peach-pink, salmon and lavender comprise the ensemble of this appealing iris. The standards are peach-apricot, broad and domed; the falls are salmon-apricot with a dash of soft lavender in the center. The blooms are large and firm and are carried on tall wide-branched stalks. Early. 38 in.

**CAPITOLA (Reinelt 1940) Ea. \$1.00**

Larger and better formed Wm. Mohr type. Pollen parent of Lady Mohr and many other fine seedlings. A must have for hybridizers.

**CAPTAIN WELLS (Cook 1941) Ea. \$1.50; 3 for \$4.00**

The glossy finish and sheen and the absence of haft markings is what make this deep maroon-purple iris one of the most beautiful. Neat and tailored in form with subdued bronze yellow beard. Splendid habits of growth. Mid-season. 36 in.

**CAROLINE BURR (K. Smith 1940) Ea. \$1.50; 3 for \$4.00**

A cool ivory, overlaid with a soft elusive green and a frosty iridescent sheen. The placement of the large blooms on the tall sturdy four-branched stalk is excellent. A choice variety in a limited color field. Mid-season. 45 in.

**CASA MORENA (DeForest 1943) Ea. \$4.00; 3 for \$10.00**

The huge flowers are a deep rich glistening brown that fairly vibrate life and color. Beard brownish orange. A must for those who want the best in this color class. 38 in.

**CHAMOIS (Kleinsorge 1944) Ea. \$6.00**

The very large blooms are of pure chamois in color with a satin finish that sparkles as if dusted with frost crystals. The color harmony of the smoothly finished falls is completed with a yellow beard tipped bronze. Both standards and falls of the heavy substantanced flowers are waved at the edges. We consider this one of the finest pastels. Mid-season. 34 in.

**CHANTILLY (D. Hall 1945) Ea. \$5.00**

Dainty and charming is this lovely ruffled flower of orchid pink. Both standards and falls are so heavily ruffled and frilled as to give the appearance of being edged with lace a shade lighter than the rest of the flower. As this iris was bred from the same line of breeding as the famous Flamingo pinks, it should be of particular interest to hybridizers. Midseason. 36 in.

**CHERIE (Hall 1947) Ea. \$20.00**

An exquisite flamingo pink self with large ruffled blooms and a lovely tangerine beard, typical of the new pink iris. Excellent form, substance and branching. Vigorous growth and good increase. In great demand. Midseason. 34 in.

**CHIEF POKING FIRE (DeForest 1942) \$1.50; 3 for \$4.00**

This different red iris, heavily blended with bronzy gold was a favorite with all of our garden visitors. Brilliant but not gaudy. Wide standards and rounded falls. Mid-season. 35 in.

**CHINA LADY (Milliken) Ea. \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

The large flaring blooms are clear glistening ivory with the center of the bloom lightened by a bright yellow beard and brilliant gold on the hafts. The beautifully formed heavy substantanced flowers are gracefully poised on very tall well branched stalks. Vigorous and hardy. Midseason. 40 in.

**CHINA MAID (Milliken) Ea. 75c**

One of the best pink blends in its price range. Lilac pink blended with golden bronze. Outstanding due to its even and smooth texture. Vigorous. Early. 48 in.

**CHIVALRY (J. Wells 1944) Ea. \$10.00**

Winner of the Dykes Medal 1947. A large, ruffled, deep blue flower with an inconspicuous orange beard. Standards are domed, and the falls flaring and very broad at the haft. Very heavy substance. The flowers are well placed on a nicely branched stem. Plants are vigorous. Midseason. 36 in.

**CHRISTABEL (Lapham 1936) Ea. 50c**

The large flowers are a beautiful glowing red with a very smooth finish and a brilliant yellow beard. Dependable, and one of the finest reds at any price. Midseason. 36 in.

**CITY OF LINCOLN (H. Sass 1937) Ea. 50c; 3 for \$1.25**

The most brilliant and striking of all the variegatas, with its broad fiery red falls edged yellow and golden yellow standards. The flowers, with semi-flaring falls, are beautifully poised on tall, well branched stalks. Well grown established clumps are breath taking. Late. 42 in.



**CLARET VELVET** (Weed 1941) **Ea. 50c; 3 for \$1.25**

The claret colored flowers have the texture of a rich velvet, without any haft markings to mar their beauty. The semi-flaring falls display a brilliant burnt orange beard. Heavy substance and nicely branched. Midseason. 32 in.

**CLOTH OF GOLD** (Whiting 1945) **Ea. \$3.00**

Here is a fine garden yellow; one with many good qualities and a very dependable grower. A bright but deep yellow self with flaring falls enriched with a glowing orange beard. Perfectly formed blooms. Tall and stately with very heavy substance and widely branched stems. Midseason. 36 in.

**CLOUD CASTLE** (Graves 1944) **Ea. \$3.00; 3 for \$7.50**

A most impressive iris of pale wisteria blue. The wide ruffled falls are of flaring form, with broad standards distinctively fluted at the edges and roundly domed. The smoothly textured flowers are evenly spaced on well branched stems. There is an unusual charm about this lovely flower that always attracts attention at close view and still possesses fine carrying qualities in the garden. Midseason. 37 in.

**CORDOVAN** (Kleinsorge 1946) **Ea. \$4.00**

The large bold flowers of ox-blood red are appropriately named, the color resembling that of Cordovan leather. The beauty of the rich finish is enhanced with a coppery flush over the entire flower. The wide falls are distinctively fluted. Heavy substance; well branched. Midseason. 36 in.

**DAYBREAK** (Kleinsorge 1941) **Ea. \$2.00; 3 for \$5.00**

A huge golden pink with slight copper undertones. The ruffled blooms are well formed with closed standards and semi-flaring falls. This flower tied with Ola Kala for the 1946 Dykes Medal. Midseason. 36 in.

**DEEP VELVET** (Salbach 1939) **Ea. \$1.00**

Perfectly formed large blooms of a stunning deep red-violet with upper part of the falls flushed with claret-brown. Vigorous grower, tall and well-branched. Very heavy substance. Midseason. 38 in.



**SOLID MAHOGANY** (See page 11)



**PINK REFLECTION** (See page 10)

**DESERT SONG** (Fay 1946) **Ea. \$10.00**

Large beautifully formed blooms of cream, with very broad standards and rounded flaring falls. A self with no haft markings and especially heavy substance. The flowers are evenly spaced on very tall well branched stalks. Early midseason. 40 in.

**DISPLAY** (Grant 1942) **Ea. \$1.50**

Rich glowing Spanish red shading to deep maroon. It carries well in the garden despite its deep color. Wide branching. Medium late. 35 in.

**DREAM CASTLE** (Cook 1943) **Ea. \$7.50**

A refreshing orchid-pink self—clear and bright—with very wide standards and falls. The lovely white beard, tinted lemon, tends to emphasize the solid pink color. A generous bloomer. Midseason. 36 in.

**EASTER BONNET** (Maxwell 1944) **Ea. \$5.00**

The name is an appropriate one for this exquisite flower of rhodanite pink with standards and falls edged in gold. Tall and vigorous. Unusual and beautiful. Midseason. 38 in.

**EDITH ROAKE** (K. Smith 1946) **Ea. \$6.00**

A blue and white plicata that has great garden value. Very fine as a clump. Vigorous and prolific. 40 in.

**EDWARD LAPHAM** (Lapham 1942) **Ea. \$3.00**

This flawless rich crimson flower with a cast of maroon is most attractive and one of the reddest iris to date. A self even to the hafts and throat. The smooth glossy finish adds to the loveliness of the trim tailored blooms. Midseason. 36 in.

**ELMOHR** (Loomis 1942) **Ea. \$1.00**

Words cannot convey an adequate impression of this magnificent iris. A colossal Wm. Mohr seedling of rich mulberry. Exceptionally hardy everywhere. Is vigorous with lush foliage. Is tall and beautifully branched. Dykes Medal 1945. Midseason. 36 in.

**EXTRAVAGANZA** (Douglas 1944) **Ea. \$8.00**

A new Amoena Iris with almost white standards shaded cream toward the base. The falls are a medley of deep violet red and copper, with a flush of violet down the center. A very striking novelty. Late. 36 in.



**FAIR ELAINE** (Mitchell 1938) **Ea. 75c; 3 for \$2.00**

Alluring and beautiful. A bi-tone with ivory standards displayed above clear medium yellow falls with a beard of fiery orange. Tall and gracefully branched. A favorite in the finest gardens. Midseason. 40 in.

**FIRECRACKER** (D. Hall 1943) **Ea. \$3.50**

Here is a plicata that commands the attention of all visitors. The glowing dark burgundy-red flowers with yellow trim have good form and substance and are carried on stout 32-inch stems. One of the brightest iris we grow. Midseason.

**FLORA CAMPBELL** (Hill 1940) **Ea. 50c; 3 for \$1.25**

Warm red brown and peach red skillfully blended making the entire flower a glowing piece of color. A brilliant rich iris, large and nicely formed, with good substance and branching. Splendid growing habits. One of the finest red iris in its price class. Midseason. 34 in.

**FLORA ZENOR** (J. Sass 1942) **Ea. \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

Appealing and distinctive is this unusual iris of soft cameo-pink enlivened by a shrimp red beard. The color is often referred to as "like the foam of a strawberry soda". A clump planted in filtered shade is really stunning. Tall stems with medium sized flowers. A breeders iris. Early. 40 in.

**FORT KNOX** (Milliken) **Ea. \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

Perhaps one of the finest medium yellow Iris ever introduced, having all the desired qualities. The flowers have a very smooth finish and are large with graceful flaring falls. Tall and perfectly branched with fine foliage. Early. 40 in.

**FORTUNE** (Kleinsorge 1941) **Ea. \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

Large flaring flowers of old gold overlaid with rusty red. The color is not dull but very much alive and bright. Heavy substance and widely branched stalks. Midseason. 30 in.

**FORTUNE'S FAVOR** (DeForest 1944) **Ea. \$4.00**

Gigantic ruffled flowers of bright glistening tan. Standards broad and closed. The wide ruffled falls are overlaid with rosy lavender accentuated by an extra deep heavy orange beard. Vigorous. Free flowering and well branched. Midseason.

**FRANCELIA** (McKee 1944) **Ea. \$4.50**

This lovely rich chrome yellow has roundly domed standards and broad, full, semi-flaring falls with the added charm of a thick orange beard. Heavy substance flowers on well-branched stalks. Vigorous and a reliable grower. A fine iris. Midseason. 36 in.

**FULL MEASURE** (DeForest 1941) **Ea. \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

A sparkling deep orange yellow self on tall well-branched stalks. Late flowering and a very showy flower. 40 in.

**GALLANT LEADER** (Weisner 1939) **Ea. \$1.00**

An especially attractive flower with broad standards of deep rose-red. Wide falls velvety maroon blended with copper at the haft. Massive blooms on tall stems. Late. 40 in.

**GARDEN GLORY** (Whiting 1943) **Ea. \$5.00**

Dark glowing ruby red with a smooth satiny sheen. The clean smooth haft and dark bronze beard give depth to its coloring. Flaring form and medium sized flowers on 33 in. stems. Late.

**GARDEN MAGIC** (Grinter 1936) **Ea. \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

Although one of the oldest iris, it remains one of the best. Flowers are a rich velvety red, void of haft markings and smoothly finished. Not a fast grower but reliable. Very late. 32 in.

**GAY SENORITA** (Salbach 1944) **Ea. \$2.00; 3 for \$5.00**

A huge brilliant variegata. Very distinctive and unusual. The large round standards are deep honey yellow, with semi-flaring falls of golden yellow, heavily overlaid with deep brown and deeper brown veining. Does not fade. Flowers have very heavy substance and are carried on tall well-branched stems. Midseason. 40 in.

**GOLDBEATER** (Kleinsorge 1944) **Ea. \$3.00**

One of the most colorful rich yellow garden iris. A solid yellow, even to the large yellow buds. You will really want this one. Makes a gorgeous display; is tall and beautifully branched. Good substance. Midseason. 36 in.

**GOLDEN FLEECE** (J. Sass 1940) **Ea. \$1.50; 3 for \$4.00**

One of Jacob Sass' loveliest originations. The standards are a bright light yellow and falls creamy white bordered with bright yellow. The ruffled flowers are beautifully poised on tall nicely branched stalks. Midseason. 44 in.

**GOLDEN MADONNA** (Essig 1940) **Ea. \$1.50; 3 for \$4.00**

Here is a sparkling iris that is a little different. A large flower with creamy falls, edged in gold yellow and the standards of a bright yellow. Tall and well branched. Midseason. 40 in.

**GOLDEN MAJESTY** (Salbach 1938) **Ea. 60c; 3 for \$1.50**

For a deep yellow that does not fade and is thoroughly reliable we recommend Golden Majesty above all others in this price field. Flowers have good substance with domed standards. Tall and nicely branched. Midseason. 42 in.

**GOLDEN RUFFLES** (Carl Taylor 1946) **Ea. \$7.50**

An iris of great appeal and refinement and one of the most beautiful in its color class. The large ruffled blooms of gleaming Empire yellow are poised gracefully on tall widely branched stems. Good form with wide falls and standards of heavy substance. Free flowering and vigorous. Won Gold Cup in 1946 Hollywood Iris Show and now holds first place in the Southern California 1948 Symposium. Midseason. 44 in.

**GOLDEN SPANGLE** (Cassebeer 1944) **\$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

Here is a hardy yellow of splendid traits. A very deep yellow with white at the center of the falls. The falls are semi-flaring with standards of pure deep yellow and perfectly poised. This iris is of medium size and exceptionally floriferous. A wonderful increaser. We highly recommend this iris for your garden. Midseason. 40 in.

**GOLDEN SPIKE** (Whiting 1940) **Ea. 75c; 3 for \$2.00**

A deep and gorgeous golden yellow with a heavy orange beard. Slightly ruffled flowers of oval form with heavy substance and well branched. Midseason. 36 in.

**GOLDEN TREASURE** (Schreiner 1936) **50c; 3 for \$1.25**

A hardy clear yellow self, with silky texture, medium in height and a good garden flower. Midseason. 36 in.

**GOOD NEWS** (Kleinsorge 1946) **Ea. \$5.00**

A rich dull gold self of great brilliance in the garden. The standards are ruffled and domed. The falls are flaring and have a copperish color at the edge with an old gold beard. Good branching. Midseason. 33 in.

**GRACE MOHR** (Jory 1935) **Ea. 75c; 3 for \$2.00**

This tall well-branched Wm. Mohr seedling really comes the closest to resembling an orchid in the opinion of many iris lovers. It is an orchid lavender veined a deep mauve. It has the grace of an orchid and while the substance is not equal to many other iris it has an intriguing quality all its own. Very floriferous and fragrant. Midseason. 48 in.

**GRAND CANYON** (Kleinsorge 1941) **\$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

The name is most fitting for this unusual and beautiful flower, blended in the varying tones of bronze, deep copper and plum, brightened by a heavy gold beard. The substance is exceptionally heavy and stalks nicely branched. Effective as a cut flower. Midseason. 38 in.

**GREAT LAKES** (Cousins 1938) **Ea. \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

This crisp light blue flower has ideal form and carriage. The standards are firm and roundly domed. Falls are very flaring. Branching is unexcelled. Winner of the 1942 Dykes Medal. Midseason. 48 in.

**GYPSY** (Kleinsorge 1944) **Ea. \$2.00; 3 for \$5.00**

A different variegata that flowers very late. One of great charm and refinement, attracting the attention of everyone. Coppery-gold standards and solid chestnut brown falls without haft markings. Late. 38 in.

**GYPSY KING** (Lothrop 1944) **Ea. \$2.00**

A beautiful iris with part once in its strain; of a red-purple color. Midseason. 36 in.

**HARRIET THOREAU** (Cook 1944) **Ea. \$3.00**

The grace and refinement of this orchid-pink self places it in a class by itself. The large flowers, slightly waved, are beautifully poised on tall, strong stems. Midseason. 38 in.

**HELEN MCGREGOR** (Graves 1946) **Ea. \$10.00**

Here is an exceptionally well formed flower with very broad falls at the haft and beautifully ruffled. This is a true blue iris, somewhat lighter than Great Lakes, with a silvery flush surrounding a white beard. The flower has heavy substance and is well placed on nicely branched stems. A vigorous grower with many increases. Midseason. 36 in.

**HER GRACE** (DeForest) **Ea. \$1.00**

Large, flaring flowers of hortense violet, with heavy substance. Midseason. 48 in.



**HIJA MIA (C. C. Taylor) Ea. \$3.00**

Empire yellow, flushed with lemon chrome. Good form and substance. Tall and nicely branched. Midseason. 36 in.

**ICY BLUE (Weed 1941) Ea. 60c; 3 for \$1.50**

Distinctively different and beautiful is this very light blue-toned iris dusted with frosty white particles that sparkle and glisten in the sunlight and highlighted with an orange beard. A profuse bloomer with flowers of flaring form that are borne on amply branched four-foot stems. Early.

**IDANHA (Kleinsorge 1942) Ea. \$1.00**

A distinctive bi-color with apricot yellow standards and bright pinky falls. Large flowers on exceptionally tall widely branched stalks. A profuse bloomer lasting over a long period of time. Midseason. 45 in.

**ILLINOIS SUNSHINE (Faught 1946) Ea. \$7.50**

Bold rich golden yellow flowers with a bright orange beard. The very large flowers are slightly elongated and are in good proportion to the tall stems. Spectacular in the garden. Vigorous and increases rapidly. Midseason. 38 in.

**INSPIRATION (Stephens 1937) Ea. \$1.50**

Huge flowers of glistening carmine or rose-madder with exceptional carrying qualities. The well formed broad petaled blooms are carried on nicely branched 38-inch stalks. One of the most startling breaks in iris coloring. Midseason.

**JAKE (J. Sass 1943) Ea. 60c; 3 for \$1.50**

A very white self, with a trace of yellow at its throat. Medium high and well branched, hardy. This is as pleasing a white as any of the more recent introductions. Late. 38 in.

**JASPER AGATE (Williams 1943) Ea. \$3.00**

A gold to copper medley with a hint of pink throughout makes this flower unusual and must be classed as a self and not a blend. Has little or no haft markings. Midseason. 34 in.

**JULIET (Kleinsorge 1946) Ea. \$5.00**

A very colorful blend of fiery red-copper tone, shot through with salmon shades and a bright orange beard. The flower is well formed, with flaring falls and standards that are well closed. A good increaser. Midseason. 36 in.

**KATHERINE FAY (Fay 1945) Ea. \$5.00**

A very hardy clear white and one of the best in its class. The standards are domed and ruffled with semi-flaring falls. Excellent substance and branching. Midseason. 35 in.

**LADY BOSCAWEN (Graves 1946) Ea. \$7.50**

A pure white of exquisite beauty and charm with broad fluted standards and extremely flaring falls delightfully ruffled. The substance is strong and firm with the large blooms well spaced on tall graceful stalks. One of the very finest new whites. Vigorous and hardy. Midseason. 40 in.

**LADY MOHR (Salbach 1944) Ea. \$5.00**

Here we have a very charming lady, whose standards are oyster-shell white. The falls a frosted chartreuse yellow, veined violet at the tip of the beard. Both falls and standards are broad and slightly ruffled. Her flowers are gracefully poised on tall beautifully branched stalks. Early to midseason. 36 in.

**LAKE GEORGE (K. Smith 1945) Ea. \$5.00**

A smoothly finished soft blue iris of decidedly flaring form. The beard is light yellow tipped blue at ends. The whole flower is slightly ruffled and trim of form. Vigorous, with clean foliage and good branching. A Kenneth Smith masterpiece. Late. 39 in.

**LORD DONGAN (K. Smith 1940) Ea. \$2.00; 3 for \$5.00**

Stunning indeed is this lovely flower with broad standards of chinese violet and wide rounded falls of velvety pansy-violet, with no haft markings to mar its beauty. An intense pale yellow beard highlights its charms. Late. 36 in.

**LORI MAY (DeForest 1941) Ea. \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

A charming pink blend of Daphne pink that creates a very pink effect in the garden. The large flowers are smoothly finished and of heavy substance with semi-flaring falls and closed standards. Admired by everyone. Midseason. 33 in.

**LOTHARIO (Schreiner 1942) Ea. \$3.00**

Done in a similar color pattern to Amigo but differs greatly for this handsome iris is large and tall on well branched stems. The light blue standards and plush blue-purple falls are without veins or mars. The lightly frilled blooms have the added attraction of a lovely orange beard. Late midseason. 38 in.

**SYLLMAR GARDENS****LOVE AFFAIR (Mitchell 1946) Ea. \$2.50**

It is difficult to describe the appealing charm of this lovely rose-pink plicata with standards flushed and stippled rose-pink on a white ground. Falls have a wide edging of the same rose-pink. The flaring flowers are carried on low branched stalks. First prize at the 1946 Oakland Spring Garden Show. Midseason. 34 in.

**LOVELACE (Mitchell 1948) Ea. \$15.00**

An exquisite plicata of flaring, slightly ruffled, form. Standards are marked with a soft pink stippling on a buff-white ground. Falls a warm white completely edged with pink stipples, which are larger and more pronounced at the haft. The crisp appearing flowers are beautifully poised on tall, nicely branched, stems. 36 in.

**LULLABY (Hall 1943) Ea. \$2.00**

A self with large flowers of a luscious apple blossom pink, with no haft markings. Good substance and form. The flowers are borne on tall, nicely branched stalks. Midseason. 38 in.

**MANDALAY (Hall 1943) Ea. \$1.00**

The sprightly carriage and stiffly flaring falls and domed standards along with the smooth even finish is what makes this lovely flower so unusual. The color is a lively copper brown warmly infused with rose pink. Very attractive in the garden. Late. 32 in.

**MASTER CHARLES (Williamson 1943) Ea. \$3.50**

All who see this lovely glowing mulberry iris are charmed with its jaunty flaring form and lustrous sheen. Standards are purple with brown at base; falls same color blended brown at the haft. The flowers are borne on tall well branched stalks. Midseason. 38 in.

**MATTERHORN (J. Sass 1938) Ea. 75c**

Large beautifully formed flaring flowers of pure white. Even the beard is white. Firm substance with a sparkling sheen and splendid branching make this one of our finest whites. Midseason. 36 in.

**MELITZA (Nesmith 1940) Ea. 75c; 3 for \$2.00**

Impressive and unique is this tall graceful iris of salmony flesh with an intense pinkish tangerine beard, so vivid that the entire flower is infused with this brilliant color. Indispensable as a breeder. Mid-season. 40 in.

**MEXICO (Kleinsorge 1943) Ea. \$2.00; 3 for \$5.00**

A gay and brilliant bi-color with golden standards and broad falls of glowing red-brown with a decided plush-like finish. The flowers are huge and resemble a Mexican straw hat. Nicely branched and vigorous. Late. 36 in.

**MING YELLOW (Glutzbeck 1938) Ea. 75c; 3 for \$2.00**

Sparkling clear yellow with huge blooms poised gracefully on tall well-branched stalks. Heavy substance and slightly waved on edges. Late. 36 in.

**MINNIE COLQUITT (H. Sass 1942) Ea. \$3.00**

Outstanding and different is this really fine plicata of pearly white peppered with a very striking bluish-wine stippled border. The flower is well formed with very wide standards and falls, possessing excellent substance and is well branched. Midseason. 40 in.

**MISTY GOLD (Schreiner 1943) Ea. \$2.00; 3 for \$5.00**

Broad petaled flowers of soft lemon cream, edged with gold, are delightfully frilled and fluted. Slender stems with good branching. A very fine iris. Midseason. 33 in.

**MOONLIGHT MADONNA (J. Sass 1943) Ea. \$2.00**

The color is a cool refreshing shade of lemon yellow with the added beauty of heavy substance and excellent branching. The ruffled flowers have rounded form and the crisp texture adds to their beauty. Midseason. 36 in.

**MOROCCO ROSE (Loomis 1937) Ea. 60c; 3 for \$1.50**

Lovely rose-pink. The large flowers have a soft yellow glow at the heart and a brownish cast at the haft highlighted with a bright golden beard. Midseason. 38 in.

**MOUNTAIN SKY (Milliken) Ea. 75c**

The light blue ruffled flowers of semi-flaring form are carried on very tall, nicely branched stalks. A heavy bloomer and vigorous. Early. 48 in.

**MULBERRY ROSE (Schreiner 1941) Ea. \$1.25; 3 for \$3.00**

A self of radiant lovely mulberry rose shaded brown with a bronze beard. The very tall stems hold the flowers well aloft, displaying their beauty to good advantage. Excellent substance and branching. Distinctly different from any other iris. Early. 40 in.





CHAMOIS (See page 4)

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**NYLON (Whiting 1940) Ea. 75c; 3 for \$2.00**

A copper-tan or rose-beige self with a heavy gold beard. The blooms are very large and the branching excellent. For an unusual flower this is it. Midseason. 36 in.

**OLA KALA (J. Sass 1943) Ea. \$2.50**

Winner of Dykes Medal 1948. This beautiful deep yellow flower of fine form and ruffling is one of the unusual hybrids of the last few years. The falls are flaring and the standards are firmly held. The flower is poised on a splendid stem that is well branched. A rapid increaser. Late midseason. 36 in.

**OLD PARCHMENT (Kleinsorge 1939) \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

A blend that is well named and of great charm. The large flowers are deep ivory with an overlay of golden buff. Standards are domed. The wide falls are rather tailored in appearance. The blooms have wonderful keeping qualities due to the unusually heavy substance. No garden is complete without this treasured gem. Midseason. 35 in.

**OLD ROSE (Salbach 1940) Ea. \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

Very large old rose flowers shading to Pompeii red near the haft. The lovely color and wealth of bloom make this iris most effective in the garden. Early. 40 in.

**ORANGE FLAME (Salbach 1940) Ea. 75c; 3 for \$2.00**

This most attractive iris has the brilliance of a lovely sunset glow. The standards are burnished golden orange and remain closed throughout the life of the flower. The semi-flaring falls are a brilliant coppery-red, more brilliant than Radiant, one of its parents. Late. 30 in.

**ORCHID LADY (Salbach 1943) Ea. \$1.00**

An orchid pink of heavy substance and jaunty flaring falls. There is an infusion of copper near the throat and edges of falls. A lovely iris. Late. 40 in.

**ORMACO (Kleinsorge 1942) Ea. \$1.50; 3 for \$4.00**

An alluring and distinct blend of an odd light violet with some bronze and brown—a different blend with a decided metallic sheen. The large well-formed flowers have a heavy leathery substance and are rich and elegant in appearance. Midseason. 32 in.

**ORMOHR (Kleinsorge 1937) Ea. 50c; 3 for \$1.25**

The color of this handsome Wm. Mohr seedling is lilac with a silvery cast and veined in violet. The huge well-formed blooms are beautifully poised on tall well-branched stalks. Valuable as a breeder as it readily sets seed. Midseason. 40 in.

**PAINTED DESERT (Milliken) Ea. \$2.00; 3 for \$5.00**

This beautiful iris is well named for it possesses the brilliant run of color as seen in parts of the Arizona Desert. A good increaser with excellent branching. Midseason. 48 in.

**PATRICE (DeForest 1945) Ea. \$3.00; 3 for \$7.50**

A new white plicata that is quite unusual. The semi-flaring falls are a clean sparkling white, brushed with bright gold across the haft, which is speckled rose-brown. The standards are light cream, flushed rosy lavender. The attractive large flowers are beautifully poised on tall graceful stems that are nicely branched. Midseason. 40 in.

**PEG DABAGH (Craig 1948) Ea. \$25.00**

An early flowering Wm. Mohr derivative with blooms of full rounded form and heavy substance. The clear blue violet flowers of smooth texture are borne on very tall (50 in.) stalks, with 4 to 5 buds to the stem. Vigorous and a rapid increaser. Early.

**PINK CAMEO (Fay 1946) Ea. \$10.00**

The outstanding qualities of this new pink iris is the melting softness of color and finish with the entire absence of other colorings than the name suggests. The pointed buds, much deeper in color, add to its beauty. The beard is tangerine, typical of the new pinks. Flowers are slightly flaring and evenly spaced on well branched stalks. One of the loveliest new pinks. Early. 36 in.

**PINK CLOUD (Fay 1946) Ea. \$4.00**

A delightful light orchid-pink shading to white near the center of the flower. Excellent substance and nicely branched. Lovely planted in filtered shade with other pastels.

**PINK REFLECTION (P. Cook 1942) Ea. \$3.00**

A soft pinkish blend of soft gold and pink. The flowers are good size with substance and a flaring form. Well branched stalks and vigorous. Late. 36 in.

**PINK RUFFLES (K. Smith 1940) Ea. 75c**

This charming intermediate, heavily fluted and ruffled, is extremely floriferous and most appealing. Makes a stunning border iris. Midseason. 24 in.

**PRAIRIE SUNSET (H. Sass 1939) Ea. \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

Words cannot convey an adequate impression of the beauty of this vibrant flower. A blend of rose, apricot, copper and peach, with a sprinkling of gold dust completes this harmonious combination. In addition to its glorious color Prairie Sunset has captured all other good points to make it an outstanding iris. Dykes Medal 1943. Midseason. 30 in.

**PRETTY PENNY (DeForest 1943) Ea. \$1.50**

The color of a new bright penny. The falls are rounded with gold veined haft, with gold style arms and heavy orange beard. Midseason. 40 in.

**PRINCE OF ORANGE (Kleinsorge 1940) 75c; 3 for \$2.00**

Medium size blooms of deep golden orange. The very flaring flowers are widely spaced along the well-branched stalks of medium height. Attractive in the garden and of great color value. Midseason. 36 in.

**PRISCILLA (Whiting 1942) Ea. \$1.50**

Pure white even to the beard. Rounded form, fluted petals with excellent substance and fine branching. Blooms over a long season. Midseason. 31 in.

**RANGER (Kleinsorge 1943) Ea. \$3.00; 3 for \$7.50**

Deep but brilliant crimson toned flowers, produced on tall nicely branched stems. A decided self with long cone-shaped closed standards and semi-flaring falls of firm texture. Vigorous and a free bloomer. Late. 36 in.

**RED GLEAM (Lapham 1939) Ea. \$1.00**

One of the best reds and probably the nearest approach to a pure red so far attained in iris hybrids. Strong, well branched stems. Flaring falls of deep velvety red and standards of glowing red. Midseason. 35 in.

**REDWYNE (McKee 1945) Ea. \$7.50**

Deep rich mahogany red self. The medium sized blooms with an unusual velvety texture are free of any haft markings giving the flowers great carrying qualities. Splendid growing habits. A neat trim red iris. Midseason. 36 in.

**REMEMBRANCE (D. Hall 1942) Ea. \$2.00**

A pink with a trace of pale yellow throughout, almost a self. The flowers have good form and substance. Well branched. Midseason. 38 in.

**RIO ORO (DeForest 1942) Ea. \$1.50; 3 for \$4.00**

This rich honey yellow self is one of the most unusual and attractive iris in the garden. There is a decided gold sheen over the whole flower. The standards are well domed and firmly held. The falls semi-flaring. The very graceful stalks are nicely branched. Vigorous. Midseason. 40 in.

**ROCKET (Whiting 1945) Ea. \$15.00**

The large heavy substantanced flowers are a brilliant smooth deep orange-yellow, wide petaled and beautifully formed. The stalks are strong and sturdy, carrying seven to nine blooms. One of the most unusual and brilliant new iris. Midseason. 36 in.

**SABLE (Cook 1938) Ea. \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

A self of intense blue-black-violet with a blue beard and extra thick substance. So dark as to appear nearly black in the garden. Splendid form coupled with a wonderful lustrous sheen makes Sable one of our most sought after Iris. Midseason. 34 in.

**SALAR (DeForest 1940) Ea. 75c; 3 for \$2.00**

A delicate and pleasing combination of opalescent creamy flesh dominated by an overlay of salmon. The large flowers have a soft infusion of rose tones around the beard. The tall and beautifully branched stalks make this iris a good breeder. Midseason. 40 in.

**SERENATA (Milliken) Ea. \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

The exquisite coloring and flaring form of this charming pink gives it distinction and individuality that attracts everyone. There is no yellow at the haft like most other pink blends. The finish is smooth and firm. Vigorous and hardy with good branching. Midseason. 40 in.



**SHANNOPIN (Pillow 1904) Ea. \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

This stunning and most original iris is close to a cream and rose amoena. Ruffled creamy white standards with light, bright rose falls. Midseason. 40 in.

**SHARKSKIN (Douglas 1942) Ea. \$2.50; 3 for \$6.00**

A beautiful warm white iris of near perfection. Heavy substance with a velvety finish. The domed standards are broad with a strong midrib. The falls are flaring and inside the throat there is a glistening yellow flush. The well proportioned blooms are beautifully poised on well-branched stalks. Four branches and a terminal. Midseason. 44 in.

**SHERIFFA (White 1941) Ea. \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

An Onco-bred, of rich metallic violet with a dash of blue in the falls—a distinctly different flower held on tall and graceful branches. A free bloomer. Midseason. 40 in.

**SHISHALDIN (DeForest 1944) Ea. \$1.50; 3 for \$3.50**

Orange, yellow and golden brown skillfully blended to produce a smooth lustrous copper-gold effect with the large flaring flowers beautifully placed on strong, sturdy stalks, make this an outstanding iris. Midseason. 38 in.

**SILVER SUSIE (DeForest 1941) Ea. \$1.50**

A very tall and extremely graceful lustrous silver-white self. One of the best poised flowers in our list. The flowers are good sized and flaring. The branching is perfect on very slender trim stems to as high as 50 in. Midseason.

**SNOW FLURRY (Rees 1939) Ea. \$1.25; 3 for \$3.00**

This captivating iris has large buds of soft blue that unfold into huge blossoms of icy white that sparkle and glistens like new snow. The wide standards and falls are of heavy substance and beautifully ruffled. The stalks are very tall and with many flowers but rather short-branching. Vigorous, with beautiful lush foliage. Early. 50 in.

**SOLID MAHOGANY (J. Sass 1944) Ea. \$5.00**

One of the finest deep red iris of recent years. The color of the beautifully formed, smoothly finished blooms, is aptly described by the name. A deep bronze-gold beard on plush-like falls completes the beauty of this grand iris. Midseason. 38 in.

**SONRISA (DeForest 1942) Ea. \$2.50; 3 for \$6.00**

An exquisite glistening coppery-pink with an undertone of yellow and a decided metallic finish. Well domed standards with falls that flare in a dashing manner. The firm substantiated flowers are poised on tall well branched stalks. Midseason. 40 in.

**SOUSUN (Essig 1945) Ea. \$3.50; 3 for \$9.00**

A very large well-formed iris of pale yellow or creamy with a yellowish heart and beard. Nicely placed flowers on a well branched stem. Hardy. Midseason. 40 in.

**SPANISH PEAKS (Loomis 1947) Ea. \$17.50**

The sensational new white, that is nothing else but white even to the beard, style arms and throat. A flower with unusual charm that has captured all other good points. Broad petaled, beautifully finished blooms of splendid form and excellent substance, on tall (38 inch) stalks.

**SPARKLING BLUE (Grant 1942) Ea. \$1.50**

A frosty overlay completely envelopes this appealing flax blue iris. Large thick substantiated flowers poised on tall superbly branched stems. Midseason. 40 in.

**SPINDRIFT (Loomis 1944) Ea. \$3.00**

A beautiful coral-pink flower of good form with brilliant tangerine beard to accentuate the entire flower. The blooms are well placed on nicely branched stalks. Midseason. 34 in.

**SPRING ROMANCE (E. Miess 1948) Ea. \$25.00**

For description see page 3.

**STARDOM (D. Hall 1941) Ea. 75c; 3 for \$2.00**

One of the irises that does so much for the landscape. A coppery pink with an apricot blush over all giving it a peculiar flame like value so necessary for accent in any garden. Brilliant orange beard. Of medium height and of good substance. Midseason. 34 in.

**STORM KING (Nicholls 1940) Ea. \$1.50; 3 for \$4.00**

Very rich and glowing silky purple-black blooms with a definite charm. The broad flaring falls and domed standards are unusual in their evenness of color; without veins of any kind to mar their beauty. The large flowers are gracefully poised on tall stalks. Stock is always scarce. Late. 42 in.

**SYLLMAR GARDENS****SUNSET SERENADE (J. Sass 1943) Ea. \$2.00; 3 for \$5.00**

A very worthy Prairie Sunset seedling. Larger, taller and somewhat more golden than its parent. A lovely iridescent sheen envelops the entire flower. The well formed blooms are evenly spaced on tall widely branched stalks. Hardy and vigorous. Late. 36 in.

**SYLVIA MURRAY (Norton 1944) Ea. \$3.00**

Visualize this lovely clear, light blue iris entirely enveloped with a bright frosty finish. There is a definite charm about this flower with its precise styling, lovely poise and smooth tailored appearance. Try planting with Pink Cameo and Moonlight Madonna for a beautiful pastel effect. Midseason. 40 in.

**TEA ROSE (Whiting 1944) Ea. \$3.00; 3 for \$7.50**

A very lovely pink iris void of the usual orchid cast and instead is warmed with a soft amber infusion with a rich amber glow lighting up the center. The flowers are of rounded form and nicely spaced on tall but not widely branched stalks. The vigorous hardy plants bloom freely, creating a decided pink effect. A noteworthy iris. Midseason. 36 in.

**THE ADMIRAL (D. Hall 1941) Ea. \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

An intense luminous blue, deeper than medium blue, but not really dark. The falls flare in a dashing manner, with the finish and substance outstanding. Very floriferous with flowers that stand wind, sun or rain exceptionally well. The bluish beard completes its lovely color harmony. Midseason. 36 in.

**THE RED DOUGLAS (J. Sass 1937) Ea. \$1.00**

A very smooth finished rosy wine-red flower of huge size. A perfectly proportioned flower with a deep orange beard, poised on thick sturdy stems that are well branched. This flower is one of our best sellers, always noticed by garden visitors. Dykes Medal 1941. Midseason. 38 in.

**THREE SISTERS (DeForest) Ea. \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

A clump of this variety in the garden is really stunning. The standards are pale creamy yellow with rounded flaring falls of Indian lake. A vigorous grower. Increases rapidly with many well branched bloom stalks to a clump. Midseason. 36 in.

**TIFFANJA (DeForest 1942) Ea. \$1.50; 3 for \$4.00**

A different plicata that always commands attention. The standards are colonial buff; the falls are creamy white with a border of buff and brushed at the haft and around the edge with glistening light brown. The large flowers have firm heavy substance and are held on tall graceful stalks that are beautifully branched. Midseason. 40 in.

**TIFFANY (H. Sass 1938) Ea. 50c; 3 for \$1.25**

A plicata of sulphur yellow stitched in bronzy red markings. Large flowers are very showy and different. Of medium height and good substance. Mid-season. 34 in.

**TOBACCO ROAD (Kleinsorge 1942) Ea. \$5.00**

A golden tobacco brown self, that is individual both in color and form. The substance is unusually heavy with falls that are wide at the haft and held stiffly horizontal. Standards are upright and almost closed with heavy midribs. Tobacco Road is the parent of many of Dr. Kleinsorge's latest originations. Midseason. 34 in.

**TREVA (DeForest 1945) Ea. \$6.00**

Rich golden apricot with a glistening frosty finish places this appealing iris in a class by itself. The lovely flaring form has the added charm of very wide standards and falls. Treva is one of our most sought after iris. Midseason. 36 in.

**VATICAN PURPLE (Whiting 1943) Ea. \$4.00**

Rich glossy dark blue-purple self. Large rounded blooms of extremely heavy substance. The tall, strong stalks carry many flowers. Does not spot or fade and blooms over a long period of time. Late. 38 in.

**VEISHEA (Whiting 1943) Ea. \$1.50; 3 for \$5.00**

This bright rosy copper blend has the added beauty of a brilliant blue blaze in the center of the falls and a metallic sheen that envelops the entire flower. Heavy substance and splendid form. Midseason. 32 in.

**VICE REGAL (Miles 1946) Ea. \$3.00**

From Canada comes this lovely new addition to the dark colored iris. A rich glowing bronzy red-purple with a lovely bronzed beard. The near absence of haft markings and lustrous finish make this iris one of the best in its color class. Midseason. 33 in.





**TOBACCO ROAD** (See page 11)

**VISION OF MIRZA (DeForest 1944) Ea. \$1.50; 3 for \$4.00**

A marbled plicata with an unusual pattern in rose-brown on a cream ground. The large flowers of good substance are carried on tall nicely branched stalks. Midseason.

**WABASH (Williamson 1936) Ea. 75c; 3 for \$2.00**

This striking amoena with snowy white standards and rich velvety deep violet falls, bordered with white, is an iris everyone wants. Dykes Medal 1940. Midseason. 36 in.

**WAYFARER (Mitchell 1948) Ea. \$5.00**

White ground plicata edged and stippled in lavender. The large blooms of good form are frilled and ruffled and are gracefully carried on tall, nicely branched stems. Produces fine seedlings.

**WEST POINT (Nichols 1938) Ea. 50c; 3 for \$1.25**

A very fine iris of indigo blue—the falls a shade deeper with a brownish cast at the haft. Trim in appearance like a cadet's uniform. The heavy beard is strikingly bright in a yellow gold. Late. 38 in.

**WHITE WEDGWOOD (Grant 1943) \$3.50; 3 for \$9.00**

The large blooms of smooth even finish are pure white with blue at the base of the white beard, giving the effect of a blue beard. The contrast is most unusual and beautiful. The flowers have very heavy substance with domed standards and semi-horizontal falls on tall, nicely branched stalks. Early. 36 in.

**WM. MOHR (Mohr 1925) Ea. 35c**

Rare and beautiful is this huge exotic lavender with a fine network of purple veining. Plant in a hot and well drained location. Mid-season. 20 in.

**VIOLET SYMPHONY (K. Smith 1940) \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

A self of gleaming Bradley's violet with broad domed standards and wide falls. The huge blooms have heavy substance and are very neat and finished in appearance due to the absence of venations or any other color. Midseason. 40 in.

**WINTER CARNIVAL (Schreiner 1941) \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50**

The waxy snow white flowers are of heavy substance and flaring form, with a brilliant gold throat. The large nicely proportion blooms are produced on tall well branched stalks. Vigorous and hardy. Early. 40 in.

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Violet Crown. Lilac .....Ea. 50c  
Wabash. White standards, purple falls..Ea. 75c  
West Point. Indigo blue.....Ea. 50c  
Wm. A. Setchell. Huge, deep violet...Ea. 75c



## JAPANESE (Kaempferi) IRIS

The requirements of the Kaempferi differ greatly from most of the other iris but when given the proper care they are considered the most spectacular of all. They require a heavily enriched soil on the acid side with lots of water before and during their blooming period. They are particularly adapted for planting around pools. Full cultural directions will accompany each order.

Shipping begins in August

<b>BEAUTY OF YAMAMOTO</b>	<b>Ea. \$1.25</b>
An exceptionally beautiful dark blue. Double and of splendid texture and substance.	
<b>CATHERINE PARRY</b>	<b>Ea. \$1.00</b>
Ruffled and tufted double flowers of medium blue.	
<b>ELEANOR PARRY</b>	<b>Ea. \$1.00</b>
Large double flat flowers of rosy purple with bluish tints. Blooms early.	
<b>HINODE-SAKURA</b>	<b>Ea. \$1.00</b>
Double white with pink center.	
<b>HOPI GIRL</b>	<b>Ea. \$1.00</b>
Red purple. Single.	
<b>KYODGISAN</b>	<b>Ea. \$1.00</b>
Lavender blue penciled white. Very large double blooms.	
<b>LA FAVORITE</b>	<b>Ea. \$1.00</b>
Large ruffled white lightly veined blue. Blooms early. Lovely.	
<b>MIRAGE</b>	<b>Ea. \$1.00</b>
Single lavender blue with darker markings.	
<b>OSMARU-MIYO</b>	<b>Ea. \$1.50</b>
Very beautiful white, heavily veined with blue. Double flat flowers.	
<b>SHIMOYO</b>	<b>Ea. \$1.50</b>
Single with white falls veined bright dark purple. Small red purple standards. One of the most striking veined varieties.	

## THE SIBERIANS

Tall beardless iris with narrow grass-like foliage. Graceful and fairy-like and splendid for cut flowers. They may be left undisturbed for years as their beauty and effectiveness is in large established clumps.

Shipped in early fall.

<b>CAESAR'S BROTHER</b> (Morgan 1932)	<b>Ea. 75c</b>
Rich black pansy purple; tall and floriferous. Late.	
<b>ERIC THE RED</b> (Whitney 1944)	<b>Ea. \$5.00</b>
Extremely large flowers of intense wine red with broad flaring falls. Tall, beautifully branched stems with many flowers. A brilliant and distinctive siberians. 42 in.	
<b>MOUNTAIN LAKE</b> (Gersdorff 1938)	<b>Ea. \$2.50</b>
Crisp and cool in appearance is this lovely slightly ruffled clear medium blue flower with flaring form. Very effective. 36 in.	
<b>MOUNTAIN POOL</b> (Cleveland 1932)	<b>Ea. \$1.00</b>
Beautiful clear sky blue with full, smoothly finished flowers.	
<b>SNOWCREST</b> (Gage 1932)	<b>Ea. 75c</b>
Large white flowers on tall stalks. Very popular.	
<b>SNOWY EGRET</b> (Cleveland 1938)	<b>Ea. \$2.00</b>
Fine highly rated white. 36 in.	
<b>TYCOON</b> (Cleveland 1938)	<b>Ea. \$3.50</b>
The largest of all siberians. Rich colored, true violet blue flowers of splendid proportions. Outstanding.	
<b>ZEST</b> (Sturt 1934)	<b>Ea. \$1.00</b>
A bright iridescent blue with a dash of red. Splendid garden value.	

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DAYLILY FULVA ROSEA (Page 14)

## ONOCYCLUS and REGELIA HYBRIDS

Exotic and fascinating and of unusual value to hybridizers are these orchid-like iris from the general area of Palestine to the western Himalayas. These hybrids are the results of crossing onocyclus species and onocyclus and regelia species and vary in color from greenish white, buff, lilac, maroon and dotted. They require good drainage and like some lime in the soil. In regions with summer rainfall lift the rhizomes after the leaves have died down and store in dry peat moss in a dry place. Replant in late fall. In dry regions they may be left undisturbed.

<b>FLORA</b> (Regeliocyclus hybrid)	<b>Ea. \$2.00</b>
A rich deeply veined maroon colored flower.	
<b>HEBE</b> (Regeliocyclus hybrid)	<b>Ea. \$2.00</b>
Heavily veined with purple over a pearly background with a bright purple signal patch to complete the lovely harmony.	
<b>HERMOINE</b> (Regeliocyclus hybrid)	<b>Ea. \$2.00</b>
This hybrid carries much the appearance of on Onco with added vigor. The standards are a rich red violet. Falls white veined and netted with bright purple.	
<b>HOOGIANA</b> (Regelia species)	<b>Ea. \$1.00</b>
One of the bluest of all iris with a lovely smooth texture and a bright orange beard. According to the late W. R. Dykes—"Perhaps the most aristocratic of all iris."	
<b>LUNA</b> (Regeliocyclus hybrid)	<b>Ea. \$1.50</b>
Immense breath-taking flowers with deep red-violet veins etched on a smooth creamy lavender background. The beard is of rich purplish black plush. A reliable seed-bearer and splendid for hybridizing.	
<b>ONOCYCLUS HYBRIDS</b>	<b>Ea. \$2.00</b>
Unnamed hybrids in an array of variable types and colors. Exotic and beautiful. Valuable to hybridizers.	



## SPURIA IRIS

These beardless iris are hardy and easy to grow. The flowers are carried on 3- to 5-foot stems and resemble the Dutch or Spanish Iris. They are unexcelled as a cut flower and are very effective in the garden. The plants may be left in one location for several seasons without the need for transplanting. They will grow in most any location but prefer plenty of water. Their blooming season begins near the end of the bearded iris. Very popular and in great demand.

Shipping starts in September.

### AZURE DAWN (Nies 1943) Ea. \$1.50

The well formed flowers of splendid texture are a smooth even lavender-blue throughout except for the yellow signal blotch on the falls. Tall and graceful. 54 inches.

### BRONZESPUR (Nies 1941) Ea. \$2.00; 3 for \$5.00

Lovely harmony in shades of brown and yellow giving the effect of Old Gold in the garden. Brilliantly beautiful as a cut flower under artificial light. Very tall graceful stems with many flowers.

### DUTCH DEFIANCE (Nies 1943) Ea. \$7.50; 3 for \$20.00

A large bold blue spuria of splendid form, finish and substance with the added beauty of a lovely yellow signal blotch on the slightly ruffled falls.

### FIFTH SYMPHONY (Nies) Ea. \$2.00; 3 for \$5.00

A very decorative spuria of deep yellow veined with a golden brown throughout creating an almost orange effect. Fine for flower arrangements.

### LORD WOLSELY (Barr 1899) Ea. \$1.00

Deep blue purple with a yellow signal patch. 4 ft.

### LUMIERE (Washington 1936) Ea. \$2.00

Pale chrome yellow with a deeper yellow signal patch. Gives a cream effect in the garden. 4 ft.

### MONNIERI Ea. 75c; 3 for \$1.75

A native species of a soft yellow with a smooth finish. 36 inches.

### PASTORAL (Nies) Ea. \$5.00; 3 for \$12.00

Orange yellow falls edged lavender. Standards are yellow mixed with lavender and a deeper lavender crest, giving it an orchid-like beauty. With its added form, substance and finish, this flower excels for corsages and kindred uses. 32 in.

### RUSSET FLAME (Nies 1946) Ea. \$2.00; 3 for \$5.00

This charming flower is a rich glowing russet with an under color of deep yellow and the falls bordered dark brown. Very floriferous with heavy substance and splendid keeping qualities making it valuable to florists. 45 in.

### SAUGATUCK (Nies 1941) Ea. \$2.50; 3 for \$6.00

An appealing harmony of color with standards of lavender shading to yellow at the base. The falls are yellow veined with bronze and bordered with lavender. One of the loveliest. 48 in.

### SUNNY DAY (H. P. Sass) Ea. \$1.00; 3 for \$2.50

A tall sparkling yellow of splendid form. 36 in.

### WADI ZEM ZEM (Milliken) Ea. \$3.50; 3 for \$9.00

An extremely large deep cream colored flower of excellent form, finish and substance. Outstanding.

## HEMEROCALLIS (Daylilies)

Amazing progress has been accomplished by breeders in the past few years with these delightful waxen, fragrant lily-like flowers held on tall graceful stems, with beautiful grass-like foliage. They are now obtainable in all shades from palest yellow to deep orange, pink, rose, red, brown-maroon and the combination of these shades. They adapt themselves to most any climate and will do well in any type of soil. They prefer sun or partial shade and a moderate amount of water. They are pest free. By careful selection of early and late blooming varieties, bloom may be continuous from spring to fall.

Shipped from August to December.

### AFTERGLOW (Stout) Deciduous Ea. \$3.00

A delicate and charming blend of pale buff and pastel peach with a rosy tint in the throat. July-Aug. 3 ft.

### ANNIS VICTORIA RUSSELL (Russell) Evergreen \$2.00

Huge well formed flowers of a glistening clear yellow. Blooms on established plants are 6 to 8 inches across with as many as 30 buds on a single tall stem. Beautiful evergreen foliage. May-June.

### BARONET (Stout) Evergreen Ea. \$1.00

Delightful Brazil red flowers of splendid texture with an orange throat and very wide recurving petals and sepals. Floriferous. Blooms again in the fall. June. September. 2 ft.

### B. H. FARR (Stout) Semi-deciduous Ea. \$2.50

Extra large full flowers with recurving petals of a glowing rose peach with darker veinings. One of the loveliest. 3½ ft. July-August.

### BI-COLOR (Stout) Deciduous Ea. \$1.25

As the name signifies with petals of pale red tinged rose shading to a yellow. Sepals are yellow. Very effective. July-August. 42 in.

### BLACK FALCON (Nesmith) Deciduous Ea. \$5.00

A very dark lily appearing almost black with wide petals wavy at the edges. The large open flowers have a shallow canary yellow throat. Valuable to hybridizers. July-August. 36 in.

### BLANCHE HOOKER (Stout) Evergreen Ea. \$3.00

A delightful near brick red with a deep yellow throat. Blooms in May and again in September and October. 36 in.

### CABALLERO (Stout) Evergreen Ea. \$1.50

Another beautiful bi-color. Large flowers with vermilion petals and golden yellow sepals and throat. Spectacular. July-Sept. 3½ ft.

### CHENG TU (Species) Semi-deciduous Ea. 75c

Brilliant 4½-inch flowers of bright coppery orange red with deep carmine mid-zone. August-September. 36 in.

### CHISCA (Fisher) Evergreen Ea. 75c

Striking flowers with petals of bright Indian red and frosty yellow sepals. A free bloomer of medium sized flowers. July-August. 36 in.

### CROWN OF GOLD (Nesmith 1948) Deciduous Ea. \$1.00

Clear deep orange flowers that bloom with the iris in May and June. 36 in.

### CRYSTAL PINK (Nesmith 1938) Deciduous Ea. \$3.50

Lovely salmon flowers with an over-all frosty sheen and a deeper rose halo. Tall and well branched. July-August. 42 in.

### DUCHESS OF WINDSOR (Traub) Evergreen Ea. \$1.50

A lily everyone admires. The base color is cream with a golden glint and just above the throat there is a flush of rose. The form is lovely with broad petals spread wide and open. Vigorous. 24 in.

### FESTIVAL (Stout) Deciduous Ea. \$2.00

A bright and gay bi-color. The sepals are orange with a brown tinge. Petals English red with darker veins and an orange mid-rib. Vigorous, with well branched scapes. 3½ ft. July-August.

### FULVA ROSEA (Species) Deciduous Ea. \$2.50

Considered the most beautiful of any known species. The luscious clear rose pink lilies are borne on tall graceful stems. July-August. 42 in.

### GEORGIA (Stout) Evergreen Ea. \$3.00

This tall large lily is one of the most beautiful in pastel tones of soft peach-pink with rose and a greenish yellow throat. The plants are very vigorous. July-August.

### GOLDEN WEST (H. Sass) Evergreen Ea. \$1.00

The large golden yellow lilies are of fine form and finish and slightly ruffled. July-September. 48 in.

### HESPERUS (H. Sass) Deciduous Ea. \$1.50

Wide petaled six-inch open flowers of lemon-chrome. A lily of splendid form and substance on tall sturdy well branched stalks. August. 24 in.



## HEMEROCALLIS (Continued)

### HIAWATHA (Stout) Deciduous Ea. \$1.00

Produces hundreds of rather small golden flowers. Effective in the garden and very useful for flower arrangements. Good in evenings. June-July. 3½ ft.

### HONEY REDHEAD (Nesmith 1942) Deciduous Ea. \$4.00

A distinct and unusual lily of brilliant rose-red tones with a creamy yellow border. The open flaring flowers possess a lovely plush-like finish. Medium in height with good branching. July-August. 38 in.

### HYPERION (Mead) Deciduous Ea. 75c

Large waxy firm flowers of soft canary yellow. Splendid form and substance. July-August. 36 in.

### LINDA (Stout) Deciduous Ea. \$1.00

The ruffled golden petals are lightly washed with rose with the throat bordered with deeper rose. The alternating sepals are a clear cream. A beautiful lily giving a decided salmon pink effect. July-August. 2½ ft.

### MATADOR (Nesmith) Deciduous Ea. \$2.50

Smooth glistening mahogany flowers with a deep velvety red flush. Void of any other markings. Full cup shaped blooms of dazzling brilliance with 20 or more buds on nicely branched scapes. July-August. 36 in.

### MISSION BELLS (Hall 1945) Deciduous Ea. \$4.00

Large wide petaled ruffled flowers of clear medium yellow producing up to 52 blooms to a stalk on established clumps, vigorous and floriferous. July-August. 38 in.

### MILADY (Nesmith 1940) Deciduous Ea. \$5.00

Smoothly finished salmon pink with slender fluted petals. The charming flowers of lily-form give a very pink effect in the garden. July-August. 40 in.

### MONARCH (Stout) Deciduous Ea. \$1.00

This beautiful yellow flower of attractive form is a must for that part of your garden that requires a lily to bloom in the evening. July. 36 in.

### OLD VINTAGE (Russell) Evergreen Ea. \$1.50

A profuse bloomer of very deep wine colored lilies with golden throat. Tall graceful stalks. May, June, July. 42 in.

### PAINTED LADY (Russell) Semi-deciduous Ea. \$7.50

One of the largest day lilies in existence. Of a peculiar cinnamon brown and yellow with a flush of red and a coral throat. Ruffled. July-August. 36 in.

### PATRICIA (Stout) Evergreen Ea. 75c

Large 5-inch blooms with a decided wax-like finish and a pronounced fragrance. The color is pale lemon with a greenish throat. Petals are broad and recurving. A delightful flower of lily form. July-August. 2½ ft.

### PERSIAN PRINCESS (Nesmith 1938) Deciduous Ea. \$3.50

The petals are deep velvety red with a heavy overflush of purple, the sepals are a shade lighter, with the same depth of color. July-August. 40 in.

## Daylily Collection "A"

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### PINK CHARM (Nesmith 1940) Semi-deciduous Ea. \$3.50

A soft ochre-red, giving the effect of a deeply colored coral pink lily. The beautiful blooms have wide recurving petals and sepals with the center of the flower showing a star of light cadmium, creating a charming contrast to the pink stamens. One of the finest so-called "pink" day lilies. August. 50 in.

### PORT (Stout) Deciduous Ea. \$1.50

A very attractive bright red day lily of medium size on well-branched stems. The blooms are greenish at the throat. Good evenings. July. 30 in.

### QUEEN OF GONZALES (Russell) Evergreen Ea. \$1.50

Six-inch blooms of rich deep yellow with wide overlapping petals. Almost a constant bloomer. Start blooming in May. 3 feet.

### RED BIRD (Stout) Evergreen Ea. \$3.00

One of the most brilliant and beautiful daylilies. The recurving petals are vermilion red with a deeper colored mid-zone and a greenish yellow throat over a long period of time. 3 ft.

### REGAL LADY (Nesmith 1941) Deciduous Ea. \$4.00

A lovely rose-bi-color with petals of rose-red with a yellow mid-line. Sepals cream flushed rose and a green yellow throat. June-July. 40 in.

### ROSE GEM (Stout) Evergreen Ea. \$2.50

This lily has been well named. Old rose in color with a greenish yellow throat and truly a gem. The many beautifully formed 5-inch flowers are gracefully poised on 4-foot stems. Vigorous. July-August.

### ROYAL RUBY (Nesmith 1942) Deciduous Ea. \$7.50

A medium size lily of intense red with hardly any yellow at the throat. The stems are medium height with good branching. July-August. 38 in.

### RUBY SUPREME (Wheeler) Evergreen Ea. \$4.00

Wide open 6-inch flowers of a luminous ruby red with a green gold throat and a delicate gold line through the center of the wide petals. The plant is vigorous and evergreen with many flowers on the tall 40-inch stalk. July-August.

### SACHEM (Stout 1941) Evergreen Ea. \$1.00

A rich deep red, near carmine. Large blooms with wide and very recurved petals and a greenish yellow throat. June-July. 48 in.

### SERENADE (Stout) Deciduous Ea. \$1.50

A pleasing mellowing of yellow and pink on crinkled petals. Flowers are held on tall slender firm stems. June-July. 4 ft.

### STAR OF GOLD (H. P. Sass) Evergreen Ea. \$1.00

Large spreading 7-inch flowers of clear light yellow held high above the handsome evergreen foliage. One of the finest. July-August. 4½ ft.

### SULIN (Nesmith 1941) Deciduous Ea. \$3.00

Picture this lovely lily with petals of orchid-pink and sepals of creamy yellow. A fine day lily of open flaring form. July-Aug. 35 in.

### SWEETBRIAR (Nesmith) Deciduous Ea. \$3.50

A large lustrous lily with both petals and sepals of rosy pink and well reflexed showing a delicate yellow cup. Tall and well branched with many flowers on each scape. One of the most charming and effective pinks in the garden. July-August. 40 in.

### SYMPHONY (Stout) Evergreen Ea. \$2.00

A lovely fragrant lily of pastel tones. Rose petals with darker mid-rib. Sepals yellow. June-July. 3½ ft.

### THERON (Stout 1934) Deciduous Ea. \$1.50

This well known lily of dark red-purple of great depth of color has petals and sepals, both recurving. Shows a velvety flush of yellow at the throat. July 34 in.

### VESTA (Stout) Semi-deciduous Ea. 75c

A medium height deep orange flower that is fragrant. Open into the evening. July-August. 30 in.

### VULCAN (Stout 1937) Evergreen Ea. \$1.50

A velvety light maroon with a golden brown mid-rib and a throat of golden orange. A fine lily and fragrant. July-August. 30 in.

### WAU-BUN (Stout) Evergreen Ea. 75c

Cadmium yellow softly sprinkled fulvous red. The broad petals are cleverly twisted at the outer ends. June-July. 3 ft.



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Lori May	Flora Zenor
Prairie Sunset	China Lady
Snow Flurry	The Red Douglas
Sheriffa	Violet Symphony
Old Rose	Winter Carnival
Fort Knox	Golden Spangle
Great Lakes	Three Sisters
Sable	The Admiral
Elmohr	Full Measure

### Any 3 from this group:

Pink Ruffles	Stardom
Mountain Sky	Melitza
Wabash	Alastor
Orange Flame	Amigo
Golden Spike	Arctic
Grace Mohr	Aztec Copper

### Any 3 from this group:

City of Lincoln	West Point
Flora Campbell	Jake
Golden Majesty	Tiffany
Ormohr	Morocco Rose
Claret Velvet	Icy Blue
Golden Treasure	Christabel

**FREE:** If you pay express charges we will include one rhizome of either DAYBREAK or AZURE SKIES.

## Daylily Collection "B"

Group 1	Baronet	Group 2	Duchess of Windsor
	Bi-Color		Caballero
	Hiawatha		Port
	Linda		Serenade
	Sachem		Theron
	Star of Gold		Old Vintage

Select 3 from Group 1 (one each) and  
2 from Group 2 (one each)

5 Plants,  
Postpaid..... **\$3.85**

All 12 plants (one each of above)  
Postpaid..... **\$9.00**

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